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In re Patent Application of :

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For: POLYACRYLAMIDE HYDROGEL FOR THE TREATMENT OF
INCONTINENCE AND VESICOUTERETAL REFLUX

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Attention: Box Missing Parts
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please
amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, after the title and before "FIELD OF INVENTION", please add:

-- REFERENCE TO PRIOR APPLICATION

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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) from provisional
application Serial Number 60/228,081, filed August 25, 2000, which is incorporated
herein by reference to the extent it is consistent with this application. --

REMARKS

**I. APPLICANT AMENDED SPECIFICATION TO ADD REFERENCE TO A
PROVISIONAL APPLICATION.**

Applicant amended his specification to add a reference to a provisional application.
Therefore, entry of the foregoing Preliminary Amendment into the record is
respectfully requested prior to examination of the application.

II. REQUEST FOR ALLOWANCE

An indication of allowance of all claims is solicited.